

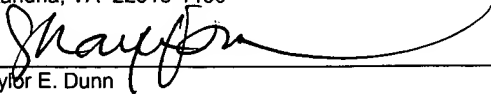
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AMENDMENT A

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Sir:

This is responsive to the Office Action dated August 23, 2004, for which a shortened statutory period for reply expired on November 23, 2004. A Petition for a 2-month Extension of Time is filed herewith extending the time for response up to and including January 24, 2004. Favorable consideration is respectfully requested in view of the following Amendments and Remarks.

AMENDMENTS

Please amend the subject U.S. Patent Application as indicated on the following sheets: